

Remarks/Arguments

Examiner Ms. Joannie Garcia is thanked for thorough examination.

In the Claims

These amendments pertain to formal matters only and do not broaden the scope of the claims. These amendments correct informalities. No new matter is added. Applicant respectfully requests entry of these amendments.

Claim 1, step b; Claim 38, line 7; Claim 43, step b; and Claim 44 step b; are amended to correct an informality to change “conductive” to – conductivity--. This provides proper antecedent basis. For support see claim 1, line 9; Claim 38, Line 10; Claim 43, step c (2nd line); Claim 44, step c.

Claim 9, line 2, is amended to add an “a” before LDD.

Claims 18 and 19, line 3, are amended to change “region” to --regions— to make proper antecedent basis to claim 1, step b “doped depletions regions”.

These amendments correct inadvertent errors recently noticed by the practitioner. These amendments do not affect the scope of the claims. No new matter is added.

Entry of the amendments is respectfully requested.

CONCLUSION

In conclusion, entry of the amendments is requested.

It is requested that the Examiner telephone the undersigned attorney at (215) 670-2455 should there be anyway that we could help..

Extension of Time

To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 is hereby made.

Charge to Deposit Account

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to apply any fees or credits in this case, which are not already covered by check or credit card, to Deposit Account No. 502018 referencing this attorney docket. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any additional fee under 37 CFR §1.16 and 1.17 to this Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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